### ST. LOUIS IN FIERCE GALES.

Big Liner Arrives in Port Two Days Overdue After Eight Days' Battle with High Winds and Waves.

#### SAILOR LOST OVERBOARD.

Everybody Seasick, Passengers' Luggage in the Hold Ruined and Huge Boilers, Strained, Will Have to Be Repaired.

Two days overdue, the American line steamer St. Louis arrived in port to day after one of the roughest voyages she has ever experienced.

The storm that the St. Louis ran into were so severe that one life was lost and every bit of baggage below decks was still soaking wet when taken out on the pier this morning.

There was also a slight fire aboard, due to the defective insulation of an electric light wire.

#### Sailor Washed Overboard.

The life that was lost was that of a sailor named J. Walur, a Norwegian He was washed overboard Nov. 24 while the steamship was running through terrific hallstorm

Seaman Walur was trying to make fast a lifeboat that had been detached from the davits, when a huge wave hit the steamer, tossing her high up on its crest. The hallstones were as big as bird's eggs and the weather so thick that objects could not be seen further than a few feet away.

As the ship came down with the roll of the wave, Walur was seen going overboard. He sank immediately.

The sea was too rough to permit the lowering of a small boat. A purse was raised for the sailor's family by the rabin passengers

From the hour that the St. Louis left Southampton until she was sighted off Mantucket Lightship at 1.10 o'clock this morning she had head winds and such terrific storms that only a half dozen of the fifty cabin passengers were able to appear regularly at the meals.

The fire on board the steamship was discovered at noon yesterday on the second deck in a gangway between the rows of staterooms.

As soon as the smoke was noticed the alarm was sounded and after a call to quarters a dozen sailors in a few minutes had the fire out This incident added to the worry of the already nervous passengers.

Among them was Gen. Ben I. Viljoer his book. "My Reminisences of the Anglo-Boer War." Speaking of the Boers' defeat, Gen. Viljoen said:

Says the Boers Lost Heart. "One of the chief reasons why the burghers had to give up fighting when they did was that a large percentage of those in the field had lost heart. I would not say that they were cowards-They were not in full sympathy with the cause. It was a hard struggle, and hiward the end they were not so en-

'If the English soldier was as good a shot, as good a horseman and as good ould be a most dangerous foe.

toria. While in this city, after to-day, he will stay at the Herald Square Hotel. to be repaired before she makes her return trip. Although she ran under re-duced speed all the way over, taking eight days, eleven hours and forty-nine ers showed the strain soon after the

The Frence liner La Champagne is and though she is a Saturday boat, she rare.y makes port before Sunday. Neither the Ryndam nor La Champagne

to port by the Cunard liner Campania, which arrived yesterday. All the way over from the Irish coast high head wife's statement he struck his father in pounded her decks. There were no in- circumstances corroborate her account. tervals of good weather, and the 216 cabin passengers spent the voyage below decks. Capt. Walker said the passengers. ow age was the most trying in his long Former Foreman in Street-Clean-

To add to the discomfort of the Campania's passengers the ship got into wireless communication Wednesday last stables of the Street-Cleaning Departwith her sister ship, the Etruria. The ment, Brooklyn, was sentenced to a Campania was going slow and burying year in prison by Judge Crane in the her stem into the head waves, shaking from stem to stern, her forecastle head He was convicted of defrauding the white with foam. The Campania complained of the "dustiness" of the road to her sister ship one hundred miles away, and for consolation got word that her sister ship one hundred miles ay, and for consolation got word that rything was blithe and gay on the ruria, which, with a following wind and sea was making record time in bright, sunsy weather. The Campania was unable to do better than 16 knots at that time and lost fifteen hours that one day.

#### 24 HOURS IN OPEN BOAT.

Steamer Fontabelle Rescues Ship-

seamer Fontabelle, oof the Quebec Company's line, came into port from the West Indies with the new of the three-masted American er Pendleton Brothers, 762 tons st register, who were picked up off the

> this port for Mobile with a cargo empty seats in the white section. She sprang a leak and sank fter the crew took to the boats. appeared on the horisturday afternoon, and two the mariners, much exhaust-theard and bound for New members of the arew were: soland, captain; L. T. Ken-nate; John Engstrom, Frank S. Pearson, P. C. Carlsen, S. Pearson, P. C. Carlsen,

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. STILLMAN CETS JOE CANNON, SPEAKER OF NEXT



# HE'S DYING OF BLOW

Son Defended Himself from Lunatic's Attack, Then Fled

from Home in Jersey City. James Clougher, who was struck of the head by his son last night, is said

Would be a most dangerous foe.

19 Gen. Viljoen went to the Waldorf-AsThe elder Clougher, who is years old, was discharged from

account for the failure to hear from in the neighbors and a policeman, who The outery of the son's wife brough The story of the storm which has de-layed incoming steamers was brought jured man was taken to the hospital. summoned an ambulance, and the injured man was taken to the hospital. THREW CHILDREN of the policeman. According to his broke over the vessel's bows and self-defense, and the police think the

ing Department Gets One Year. Peter Lynch, a former foreman in th County Court, Brooklyn, this morning.

Hugh Callan, who were also convicted. He and his wife were saved just as the barge sank. Judge holding that they had been the tools of Lynch and helped him for fear they would otherwise lose their jobs.

Lynch had charge of the payroll: He ut down fictitious names and had put down fictitious names and had was beaten back by the tide and hurled Wright and Callan call for the envelopes against a rock. A hole was stove in at the paymaster's.

#### "JIM CROW" RIDER FINED.

New Orleans Merchant Rode in Negro Section.

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 1.-Julius Wels one of the wealthiest cotton merchants Orleans, was to-day fined \$25 Capes in an open boat after for violating the Wilson Separate Car buffeted by the heavy seas for law. He sat in the section reserved for Pendleton Brothers was bound quest to get up because there were no

> Says She's a Human Telephone. Justice Foster, of GeneralSessions, received a letter to-day from a person signing herself Mrs. Anna Thierston

### of Boer war fame. Gen Viljoen comes to this country to lecture and to publish his book, "My Reminisences of the FOR CONGRESS.

President Baer, Suspected of Countermanding Order for Sixteen Cars, Had Better Look Out for Trouble.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1.-The coal at judging distances as the burgher he City. The son has not been found by the famine in Washington was brought of hard coal for the use of the Senate. directly home to Congress this morning. It is the opinion in the behave soon as he issued the order he rescinded soon as he issued the order he rescinded Snake Hill Insane Asylum as cured a few weeks ago and has since lived with his son Thomas at No. 544 Grand street, his son Thomas at No. 544 Grand street, lee-rooms and corridors and the Senate the asylum for fifteen years.

The weather this morning was had nothing further to say on the subject. If these conditions continue and the gratify the tastes of this woman you robbed your employers. You held a position of great trust, but in order to gratify the tastes of this woman you robbed your employers. You forgot even joined with the Central as defendant, continue and the mines, and Mr. Baer has had nothing further to say on the subject. If these conditions continue and the mines, and Mr. Baer has had nothing further to say on the subject. If these conditions continue and the mines, and Mr. Baer has had nothing further to say on the subject. If these conditions continue and the mines, and Mr. Baer has had nothing further to say on the subject. If these conditions continue and the mines, and Mr. Baer has had nothing further to say on the subject. If these conditions continue and the mines, and Mr. Baer has had nothing further to say on the subject. If these conditions continue and the mines, and Mr. Baer has had nothing further to say on the compilant to of great trust, but in order to gratify the tastes of this woman you robbed your employers. You forgot even joined with the Central as defendant, and the compilant to continue and the subject. few weeks ago and has since lived with three days. The weather this morning Washington and the mines, and Mr. Recently he had shown symptoms of returning insanity. Last midnight he became violent and made a vicious attack on his son. They struggled from a bedroom to the kitchen. Clougher was choking his son when the latter caught up a frying pan and struck his father with all his might on the head. The father fell with a fractured skull.

The outery of the son's wife brought.

Chamber itself was distinctly chilly. On the House side conditions were a little better, because under some of the furnaces oil burners have been installed.

A week or two ago Sergeant-at-Arms Randell went to Philadelphia and saw will put them all out of business. Senators and Representatives living about the city in boarding-houses, as many of them do, were compelled to get up this morning and dress in cold rooms. Private parties cannot secure even so much as a half ton of coal at asked that some coal be sent to keep

the Senators warm. Baer condescended to Issue an order for sixteen carloads On the Senate side of the Capitol there it, for the coal has not arrived and

a Sinking Barge.

Driven to heroic measures Capt. John Bentley hurled his two children across ten feet of turbulent water from the deck of a sinking coal barge to a tug. barge sank.

The tug Hattle B. lost the barge sh ad in tow in the Sound off One Hun red and Forty-first street. The boat was heavily laden with soft coal and the bottom and the vessel began slowly

The danger of Capt. Bentley and his family was seen by the crew of the tug and they made trial after trial to get lose, but each time they were tosse ack by the heavy sea. When it seemed hat all would be lost Capt. Bentley notioned the tug's crew to stand in actioned the togs cadiness.

Taking his smallest child in his rawny arms he raised it high over his head and hurled it toward the tug. The child fell into the waiting arms of one of the crew. Again the tug came in close to the sinking barge and the elder child was thrown across the water

elder child was thrown across the water in the same way.

After several more trials the tug got close enough to take both captain and his wife off, but they were no more than fairly on board the tug than the barge went under. Tablet for His Dead Son. (Special to The Evening World.) Dr. Cady, of New York City, has placed a brass memorial tablet in the Church of the Holy Cross at Warrensburg, Warren County, in memory of his sop the Rev. Hamilton Cady.

# THREW CHILDREN ADMIRAL DEWEY Chew Lim and York Toy Joined by Alderman Marks. Chew Lim and York Toy Joined by Alderman Marks. Chew Lim and York Toy, both of No. To Mott street, were married this afternoon by Alderman Isaac Marks, in his office in the Pulitzer building. For the benefit of those who do not know a girl's name in Chinese when they see a gew when he ask you for \$250,000." said ures to Save His Family from Return from Manila He Re CHINESE COUPLE WEDDED. The panel was exhausted and only eleven jurors. Judge Cohen said Leys was born in Scotland, came to America poor, got work with A. T. Stewart, prospered. Began with B. Altman & Co. twelve years ago as a salesman, at \$20 a week. Steadily rose until his last year's earnings were \$29,867. "We are not asking for visionary daming when they see in the bride. Although she was born in San Francents." A Jury of Eleven. The panel was exhausted and only only eleven jurors. Judge Cohen said Leys was born in several ago as a salesman, at \$20 a week. Steadily rose until his last year's earnings were \$29,867. "We are not asking for visionary daming of the properties." The panel was exhausted and only only and york to go on with eleven jurors. Judge Cohen said Leys was sher in several ago as a salesman, at \$20 a week. Steadily rose until his last year's earnings were \$29,867. "We are not asking for visionary daming were ago as a salesman at \$20 a week. Steadily rose until his last year's earnings were \$29,867. "We are not asking for visionary daming years ago as a salesman at \$20 a week. Steadily rose until his last year's earnings were \$29,867. "We are not asking for visionary daming years ago as a salesman at \$20 a week. Steadily rose until his last year's earnings were \$29,867. "We are not asking for visionary daming year's earnings were \$29,867. "We are not asking for visionary daming year's earnings were \$29,867. "We are not asking for visionary and year's earnings were \$29,867. The panel was exhausted and only the sevent and year's earnings

turns to Active Duty.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1. - Admiral Dewey resumed active sea duty this morning for the first time since his return to the United States from his memorable cruise in Philippine waters. His four-starred pennant was hoisted on the President's yacht, Mayflower, at the Washington Navy Yard, about o'clock, and, accompanied by the mem-bers of his staff, the Admiral sailed Richard Parmley, of Cleveland, away to assume direct command of the large fleet engaged in the manoeuvres in the Caribbean Sea.

His staff included Rear-Admiral Taylor, Chief of the Bureau of Navigation, Chief of Staff; Captains Swift and Pillsbury, Assistant Chiefs of Staff, and The Mayflower will set her course ron T. H and is due there next Saturday.

### CASTRO TO AVOID TROUBLE.

Expresses Willingness to Meet Germany's Demands.

BERLIN, Dec. 1.—President Castro, f Venezula, handed, probably on

# LONG SENTENCE

Man Who Stole \$100,000 from Murphy Varnish Company and Squandered It Goes to Prison for 10 Years.

WAS SCORED BY THE JUDGE.

Not Only for the Crime Itself, but for Neglecting His Trusting Wife and Family for Another

(Special to The Evening World.)

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 1 .- Claude I sentenced to seventeen years in the penitentiary by Justice Skinner in the ourt of Sessions in Newark to-day for

While the total time of his sentence reached seventeen years, he will not have to serve more than ten years, as two of the sentences under the New Jersey law may be served concurrently He was charged with forgery, larceny and embezzlement. On the larceny and forgery charges he got seven years each, but he will be serving both of these sentences at the same time, so tha practically he gets a seven years' sen tence. After this is over he will have to serve three years on the embezzle ment charge. As he will get some com mutation for good behavior, he may be out in about eight years.

#### Heavy Sentences a Surprise.

The heavy sentences were a surprise to the community. It was thought in view of his plea of guilty that he would scarcely get more than five years.

Much sympathy was felt for him aft. his wife, whom he deserted for Mrs Gordon, forgave him. Thanksgiving came around she was in Elmira, N. Y., where she had sought retirement after her husband's disgrace had become public. The thought that was too much for her wifely heart, delite the cruel treatment to which she had been subjected by him, and she came to Newark to visit him.

She saw him in jail and after a tear him. She promised to stand by him no what his sentence should be. and to take him back when he should have served it. Her devotion touched the public heart and there were many who hoped for her sake that the Court would deal lightly with the erring man. Mrs. Stillman was not in court to hear her husband sentenced.

Scored from the Bench. Before passing sentence Justice Skin-

"Stillman, you are a man of good education and apparent refinement. You are beyond the age of youth and would generally be supposed to be possessed of the good sense of a man of experience n the ways of the world. You enjoyed the reputation of being a man of good

"You had a good wife and nice family, but despite all this you, a man of your age and experience, chose to desert them for a woman, who to say the least,

was bad. "Not only did you treat a trusting wife and mother most shamefully, but the concessions were rejected, by your employers. You held a position of great trust, but in order to gratify the tastes of this woman you robbed your employers. You forgot even your wife and children and your home."

Hattford Railroad, which had been your wife and children and your home."

By your wife and mother most shamefully, but the concessions were rejected, except his consent that the complaint against the New York, New Haven and about the Seventh day being one of rest, but do not follow the implicit instructions that six days shall be work days. Therefore, there is no room on earth, and, thank God, there will be no room in Heaven for the idle man or woman. that he would have to pass in prison, Stillman seemed stunned. He opened his mouth and seemed to be trying to speak, but no words came forth. He glanced around the court room as though looking for help, but there was none there and his head dropped.

cisco twenty-five years ago she does ont speak a word of English. Her hus-band, who is a native of Canton, speaks very well. He is a merchant.

They went to Alderman Marks be-cause their friend, Charlie Le, was also married by Marks six months ago. Charlie was one of the witnesses. Ed-ward Hymes, a student of Oriental lore, was the other.

The couple expect to live in San Fran-cisco.

#### BANKER IS FOUND DEAD.

Victim of Heart Disease.

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 1.—Richard M. Parmiey, President of the American Exchange National Bank of this city, and prominently identified with electric rallway interests, was found dead in his room at the Lenox Hotel to-day. It is supposed that heart disease was the cause of death.

Mr. Parmiey, in the absence of his dier. oury, Assistant Chiefs of Staff, and commander Sargent, personal aide.

The departure of the party was devoid in display and the customary salute to the Admiral was omitted at his request. The Magflower will set her course the Magflower will set her course. The Magflower will set her course the Magflower will s

#### BILL TO STOP KISSING.

Virginia Legislator Would Make It a Misdemeanor.

(Special to The Evening World.) RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 1.-Delegate Thursday last, to the German Minister presented in the House a bill making sengers at Marselles now reaches 1,500. at Caracas a written acceptance of part it a misdemeanor for persons to kiss in this State. Punishment is to be fixed prehensive to delay the presentation of a joint ultimatum by Garmany and Great Britain. If not reporting a literature of a state of the presentation of Great Britain. If not reporting that they have no infections showing that they have no infections and efforts are being made to relief. They have appointed committees to make the songs will be satisfied.

Stuart-Wartley. Among the songs will be containt attendance of his recovery.

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THE ALDERMAN BEHIND

THE TUNNEL BLIND. ROOT URCES



## \$250,000 FOR DEAD HUSBAND. TO AID MISSIONS

Widow of William Leys, Killed Episcopal Church Delegates, in New York Central Tunnel, Sues for That Amount in

#### TRIED BY ELEVEN JURORS. NEED \$22,000,000 A YEAR

Leys for \$250,000 damages for the loss of the life of her husband. William Leys, in foreign lands will be discussed by an who was killed in the New York Central innel, Jan. 8, 1902, is on before Justice by six bishops, in Manhattan this week he was a prisoner in a cell with a long Dugrow and a jury in the Supreme The meetings will be held in Carnegie term in prison staring him in the face Court to-day. Ex-Justice William N. Cohen and Mesmore Kendall appeared for the widow,

and Austin G, Fox for the New York Central Rallway Company. Mr. Fox announced at the opening that iry was as to the amount of damages Mrs. Leys was entitled to, the company conceding that Mr. Leys lost his life in the cellision, and that the company is raise money for the support of the misresponsible for it. He said an effort to settle the case had been made, but that no agreement could be reached as to the

nount to be paid. This is the first of the suits brought Carnegie Hall will be held to-night. against the company in this county for the tunnel slaughter. Several have been

#### tried in Westchester County. Earned Large Salary.

William Leys was superintendent for B. Altman & Co., having been twenty-two years with that firm. His earnings for 1901 were \$30,000 and his income was increasing year by year. As he was only fifty years old the chances are that he would have lived many years

and made large sums of money.
"Why. I was inclined to Gemand a haif million dollars damage in this Bishop said in part: case," said Judge Cohen.

There was much discussion over a proposal to restrict testimony in view of work of nearly every one here. The boy been comparatively few.

Through all these proceedings and while a jury was selected the Widow Leys, a handsome middle-aged matron, whose hair is prematurely grav, sat bowed and listless in her widow's weeds, sustained by three younger women on a near seat. A Jury of Eleven.

witness.

From \$1,000 to \$30,000 a Year. From \$1,000 to \$30,000 a Year.

Mrs. Leys said she and the children had enjoyed to the full the prosperity that came to their husband and father, and that he supported them in elegance at New Rochelle.

Cross-examining, Austen G. Fox closely questioned Mrs. Leys about the expenses of living, until the widow broke into tears, whereupon Mr. Fox promptly applogized, declaring he had no intention of asking questions to worry or harass her.

She said the expense of maintaining their home in New Rochelle was \$10,000 to \$11,000 a year before her husband died, and he sent \$3,000 a year to Virginia for the expense of his son's farm there.

### Passengers on French Steam Ask

stokers, sailors and others here is as-

for Public Aid. MARSEILLES, Dec. 1.-The strike of

suming gravity with the arrival of many more steamers. The sallors and stokers immediately leave their ships and the RICHMOND, Va., Dec. 1.—Delegate passengers are unable to proceed to their ware, of Amherst, a physician, to-day destination. The number of belated pas-

# BISHOPS MEET

Headed by Dignitaries, Begin a Week's Discussion of Work in Foreign Countries.

the maintenance of Episcopal missions assemblage of church workers, headed Hall and in various Episcopal churches of the city, the sessions beginning today. The delegates are from various

More than \$22,000,000 are expended each year in defraying the expenses of Proteshe only question to be decided by the tant missionaries in heathen lands, and it is the purpose of these meetings to decide on the most advantageous form of missionary work and the best way to

> Articles from the mission fields will be exhibited at the parish house of Zion and St. Timothy. Mass-meetings in Wednesday and Friday evenings, and on Tuesday and Thursday meetings will be held in the principal Episcopal churches of New York. Daily services, beginning at noon, will be held in Trinity and St. Paul's churches.

#### BISHOP OF HERTFORD PREACHES AT TRINITY.

The Lord Bishop of Hertford preached at Old Trinity Church at noon to-day. The church was crowded. The Lord

city without perceiving the devotion to and, thank God, there will be no room in Heaven for the ldle man or woman.

"It is the idea of some business men that if religion ever enters business life it would take the shine out of our life. It would put the shine into it.

"The Bishop related an incident of an English servant girl who, after confirmmation, was sneeringly asked by friends what it meant to her. She replied:

"I can't explain exactly, but I know that since then I have swept under the beds, and I didn't before."
"There are a number of men and women, too, who do their work and leave the dust under the beds," commented, the preacher.

#### RUNAWAY WIFE SORRY.

Telegraphs Deserted Husband Offering to Return Home. It did not take long for Mrs. Drucilla

Hibbard to wake up from her dream Last week she ran away from her husband in Kansas City with a hotel clerk. This afternoon both have been arnested, she sent her deserted husband a telegram asking to be taken back was in a forgiving mood when Mrs. Mcand forgiven. The heart-breaking clerk is George F.

Moser. He is charged with uttering the comedian. bogus checks and in the Centre Street mond stoh an' cut my ahm on some Court was held for examination. Mrs. broken glass.' Hibbard was discharged, as there was no complaint against her. They were both taken into custody at the clair House last night on a telegram from Chief of Police Hayes, of Kansas

Mrs. Sinclair broke down and confessed that she was very wicked to leave her husband, who she said, was a swell-to-do photographer in Kansas City. Needing money, Moser wrote a lot of checks and they had a good time all the way East.

After Moser had been held, Mrs. Hibbard sent this telegram:

"Will come home and begin life all over again if you will only forgive your Drucilia. Send word to the Broadway Central Hote!"

She is a young woman and very pretty. She was stylishly gowned and had a number of valuable jewels. Her husband is Fred L. Hibbard. His studio is No. 1100 Baltimore avenue. Sinclair broke down and Mrs.

#### T. HENRY FRENCH WORSE.

T. Henry French, who has been ill for some time at his apartments in Delmonico's, has suffered another re-lapse and his condition to-day is con-

# ARMY REFORM.

Changes in Training and Equipment of National Guard Which Would Give 300,000 Effective Men in Case of War.

#### ADVOCATES GENERAL STAFF.

War Over in Philippines, What is Needed There Now is Reduction in Dingley Tariff and a Gold Standard.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 1 .- Secretary of War Root has issued his annual report. The thorough reorganization of he militia, a bill providing for which has already passed the House, he urges as of vital importance. He advocates the establishment of four permanent camp grounds, where both regulars and militia may be instructed in common; the rearming of the latter with modern rifles (only 4,000 of the existing 115,000 National Guardsmen being so equipped, the weapons of the remaining 111,000 not only being abso-lete in point of effectiveness, but absolutely useless in event of war, since the Department has no ammunition suitable for them); the instruction, by actual practise, of all volunteer artillery companies near the coasts in the use of coast defense guns in neighboring forts; the division of the militia into first and second reserves.

Mr. Root claims for this plan that it would furnish an immediately available force of 250,000 to 300,000 thoroughly trained soldiers, with a standing army of only 60,000, besides the thousands of other volunteers who have already seen

He considers our military system to be still "exceedingly defective at the top," urges the creation of a general staff as the most important thing remaining to be done for the regular army. The designation of Commanding General of the Army should be changed to that of Chief of Staff, and he should "entirely separate from and inde pendent of the administrative sta."." a change which Mr. Root thinks would do away with the friction which some times arises now between the officer named and the Department, which is inevitable under existing conditions, ew ing to constitutional limitations.

Concerning the canteen the report says: "I am convinced that the general effect of prohibiting the use of beer and light wines within the limited area of the army post is to lead the enlisted men to go out of the post, to frequent vile resorts, increasing drunkenness, dis-ease, insubordination and desertion, and

moral and physical degeneration."

The strength of the army on Oct. 18 last was 3,586 officers and 66,003 enlisted men, a total of 69,589. Of these, 1,039 officers and 19,800 enlisted men were in the Philippines.

The war in the Philippines, Mr. Root announces, "has been brought to an end." Of the charges of cruelty, he "It was impossible (considering the

treacherous character of the enemy who disregarded all rules of civilized warfare) that some individuals should not be found upon our side who were unnecessarily and unjustifiably cruel. Sishop said in part:

Such instances, however, after five
"No one can pass through this great months of searching investigation by a committee of the Senate, appear to have

Moros some further punishment, he says, may yet be necessary. Slavery may be abolished there, he

thinks, by degrees. He deprecates any sudden, drastic measures. The report concludes with the following significant recommendations:

"I earnestly urge, first, that the duties ducts of the Philippine Archipelago imported therefrom be reduced to 25 per cent. of the Dingley tariff rates; secand, that the government of the islands be permitted to establish the gold standard for its currency." He says that the insular government

has in ten whonths lost over \$1,000,000 gold by the decline in silver. This, he adds, has changed the surplus of revenves into a deficit.

#### KISSED AND MADE UP.

Comedian McClain, in Court, Forgives Wife Who Shot at Him.

Billy McClain, the negro comedian, whose wife fired three shots at him in the streets of Jersey City, where the "Smart Set" company, of which he is the dusky light, appeared last week, Clain was arraigned in court to-day. "She nevah shot me, Judge," asserted "Ah run, into a dia-

As he would not make a against her she was fined \$100 for assault against her she was fined \$100 for assault and battery. McClain paid the fine. This was too much for Cordelia, the sharpshooter wife. She fell into his arms, kissed him and vowed he was the finest man west of the Atlantic Ocean. McClain, moved to tears, caressed Cordelia and they went out of court arm in arm.

The target practice cost McClain about \$400. Besides the fine he paid \$200 for damage done to the jeweiry store, and \$100 for a lawyer to defend her. McClain and his wife left for Providence, where their play shows to-night.

#### SCOTCHMEN WILL DINE.

St. Andrew's Society to Hold Banquet at Delmonico's To-Night. This is the big night for Scotchmen The annual banquet of St. Andrew's Society of the State of New York will be held at Delmonico's, commencing at 7 o'clock. James McDonald is to be the pipe major, and that means there will

be plenty of bag-piping.

Among the guests who will reply to toasts are Mayor Low, Stuyvesant Fish,